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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**In re Application of****Dated: April 18, 2005****GEORGE B. HOBBS****HP Docket No. 10006500-1**

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Sir:**AMENDMENT**

Responsive to the final Office action dated December 17, 2004 and Advisory Action dated March 10, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the claim listing that begins on page 2 of this paper.

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